## **Census Timeline**

Activity	Description	Time Frame
Update/Leave Final Address Review	Final address file and maps in Update/Leave area received by member agencies.	12-xx-99
	Appeals must be submitted within 30 days from receipt of address file and maps.	1-31
	Ruling by Appeals Board	by 4-1
	Census Bureau incorporates changes.	?????
Mailout/Mailback Final Address Review	Final address file and maps in mailout/mailback area received by member agencies	12-xx-99?
	Appeals must be submitted within 30 days from receipt of address file and maps	1-xx-99
	Ruling by Appeals Board - within 30 days after receipt	by 4-1
	Census Bureau incorporates changes	?????
Special Place Address Review	Letter sent out by Census Bureau inviting member agencies to participate	11-14 to 11-19, 1999
	Member agencies return registration materials for Special Place Address review	12-99
	Member agencies receive Special Places Address File	???????
	Member agencies return to Census Bureau changes to Special Places Address File	???????
	Census Bureau incorporates changes into file.	???????
Boundary and Annexation Survey	Member agencies receive survey and associated maps	by 12-15-99
	Member agencies report boundary changes and other changes as appropriate	?????????
	Census Bureau incorporates boundary changes	?????????

New Construction Program	Member agencies receive address file	?????????
	Member agencies in the mailout/mailback area report new housing units constructed to the Census Bureau	1-15 to 4-1
Statistical Areas Program	Bureau returns maps to Maricopa County; and the county forwards the maps to other member agencies for review	1-31
	Inaccuracies, where they exist are identified by member agencies and reported to the Census Bureau within 30 days.	2-29
	Census Bureau incorporates changes based on corrections noted.	6-30
Update/Leave	Areas where Census Bureau enumerators make a personal visit to households and drop off a Census questionnaire. The census questionnaire is filled out and mailed back	3-3 to 3-30
Mailout/Mailback	Areas where Census questionnaires are distributed by mail and the after being filled out, returned to the Bureau by mail.	3-13 to 4-11
List/Enumerate	In extreme rural areas enumerators will canvass assignment areas, list and map spot housing units and enumerate occupants on the same visit.	3-13 to 5-1
Update/Enumerate	Used to enumerate potentially high non- response communities with specific enumeration needs. Will be used on Indian Reservations within Maricopa County and El Mirage.	3-20 to 5-20
Special Place Enumerations	Enumerate persons in Special places	3-27 to 5-6
Non-Response Follow-Up	Field or telephone follow-up of housing units that do not return their questionnaires by mail.	4-27 to 7-7
Be Counted/Telephone Questionnaire Assistance Field Verification	Following Non-Response Follow-Up, persons who do not believe they were counted can call in to obtain assistance in filling out their form. A field verification operation will verify the existence of the addresses.	7-6 to 7-27

Coverage Improvement Follow-Up	Aftern non-response follow-up the Census Bureau will carry out an additional operatoin to further improve the coverage of housing units and persons. Operation includes a follow-up of three types of addresses.  In mailout/mailback areas for those addresses for which questionnaires were returned in the Non-Response Follow-Up as vacant or delete AND which were not confirmed by Post Office as undeliverable as addressed.  In Update/Leave areas, all addresses for which a questionnaire was returned as vacant or nonexistent in Non-Response Follow-up, but the questionnaire was not returned as undeliverable during the Update/Leave operation.  Housing units identified during the New Construction Operation which need to be enumerated.	7-27 to 8-15
Final State Population Counts	Final State Population Counts are released at the State, County and place level of geography. These counts are used to apportion the total number of U.S. Representatives (435) among the 50 states	by 12-31-00
Final Census Data for Redistricting	Other census data needed for redistricting congressional and state legislative districts are released. Includes population, ethnicity, age 18 and over by race and Hispanic origin, total housing units by block.	by 4-1-01
All other short form census data	The data by block will be released either on CD ROM or through the American Fact Finder on the Census Bureau's Web Site	6-01 to 9-01
All long form census data	The data by block group will be released either on CD ROM or through the American Fact Finder on the Census Bureau's Web Site	8-02 to 12-02
Census Transportation Planning Package	Selected census data are supplied to MAG by Traffic Analysis Zone	Early-03